Docket No.: 50353-627

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277

Makoto KIMURA : Confirmation Number: 9483

Application No.: 10/733,234 : Group Art Unit: 2644

Filed: December 12, 2003 : Examiner: C. P. Chau

For: VOCAL SOUND INPUT APPARATUS FOR AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2004, now due to expire January 5, 2005, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on February 5, 2005.

Please charge the extension fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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